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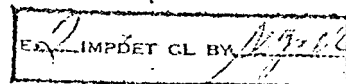
X1 1. [REDACTED] AGENCY VISIT Spoke with Ms. Manaro, appointment secretary to Representative Robert Giaimo (D., Conn.), to determine the Congressman's interest in visiting the Agency for a breakfast/briefing. I mentioned this was an outgrowth of a conversation that the Congressman had with [REDACTED] of the Agency. She is checking against the date of 21 January. 25X

X1 2. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Don Henderson, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, and informed him that we had located a copy of former Chairman J. W. Fulbright's (D., Ark.) 20 February 1967 letter to the Director on association with educational institutions and I was sending him a copy of that letter and a blind memorandum which was used by our people in a meeting with Chairman Fulbright on 8 March 1967 to close the matter out. Henderson will give me a call if there are any further questions on this which was pulled together at his request for use by Bill Bader, Senate Select Committee staff.

X1 3. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Called Allison Brenner, Subcommittee on Investigations, House International Relations Committee staff, and told her that [REDACTED] NIO/SEA, would be available to brief her and Mike Van Dusen, also of the Subcommittee staff, at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, 20 January on the final days of Vietnam. Mr. [REDACTED] has been advised.

X1 4. [REDACTED] LIAISON Mike Van Dusen, Subcommittee on Investigations, House International Relations Committee staff, advised that he understood that a new study had been prepared by the Agency on [REDACTED] defense and economic needs and asked if it would be possible to either review it or be briefed on it when they find time. I said I am sure we could arrange a briefing. [REDACTED] OCI, has been advised. 25X

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12. [] LEGISLATION Called Ralph Malvik, OMB, regarding the letters the Agency has prepared on the legislation requiring public financial statements by Government employees. Malvik said all agencies concerned were opposing the legislation and that he expected to be able to clear the letters this week for transmittal to Congress.

13. [] LIAISON I took a call from Dick White, Administrative Assistant to Representative Dale Milford (D., Texas), requesting the office telephone number of [] Special Counsel to the Director), which I supplied.

14. [] LIAISON The Director called to ask that we let him know exactly what Representative Leo Ryan (D., Calif.) has been saying about the leaks of Committee briefings. The Director said he will talk to Mr. Ryan but wants to know first exactly what Mr. Ryan has said.

15. [] LIAISON Called Pat Holt, Staff Director, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and told him the Director has decided we will no longer distribute the NID to the committees. I said Mr. Colby feels he needs to tidy up a few things before he leaves and pulling back some of this sensitive material is one of the things he is going to do. I told Holt that if there is any problem, Mr. Colby has said he would be glad to talk to Chairman John Sparkman (D., Ala.) about it. Holt said he would talk to members of the Committee and they will take it from there. We both agreed that the recent leaks have not been from the publications but rather from covert action briefings, but I said Mr. Colby feels there have just been too many things happening lately and he wants to stop sending these publications out. Holt said he and a lot of people on the Hill share our concern over the protection of classified material. He said they are going to set up an early meeting of the Committee to discuss how they can handle classified material more securely.

16. [] LIAISON Phyliss Bacon, Senate Armed Services Committee staff, called and asked if I would check our records and let her know what briefings of the Committee or any of its Subcommittees were given by CIA between 1955 and 1962. They are pulling a report together and their records do not show any full Committee briefings for this period other than nomination hearings. I told her I would be back in touch.

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18. [REDACTED] LIAISON [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] called and said he was interested in talking with me about employment possibilities in the Agency. I told him I would give him a call tomorrow morning.

19. [REDACTED] LIAISON Called Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, and advised him that the Director has decided to stop sending the NID to the Committees on the Hill. McFadden said he had not noticed that the NID was not there this morning, but Pat Holt, Staff Director, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, had called him about it and was quite upset about it. McFadden said he understood the reasoning behind this and was most sympathetic to our problem. He said he found this to be the most useful publication around and asked if we would at least provide him with a list of the subjects covered in the NID since he would not know what was going on otherwise. I told him I would check with [REDACTED] OCI and see what we could do. I emphasized that anytime he needs any material, he should just call. He said he has never hesitated in the past to ask for material he needed and has always found us most cooperative.

20. [REDACTED] BRIEFING Accompanied [REDACTED] OCI, to a briefing of Representative John J. Rhodes (R., Ariz.). See [REDACTED].
[REDACTED] Memo for the Record.

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AT 25. [] LEGISLATION Called Jim Oliver, OMB, and inquired as to the status of OMB's clearance of the Agency's proposed intelligence sources and methods legislation. Oliver has the letter from Assistant Attorney General Tyler clearing its submission but stated that formal clearance by OMB had not yet been made. He requested that copies of the final version be sent to Mike Dolan, Legislative Liaison, Department of Justice; Les Janka, NSC Staff and George Gilbert, OMB, for their final review.

AT 26. [] AGENCY VISIT Following up on earlier arrangements, called Ms. Manaro, appointment secretary to Representative Robert Giaimo (D., Conn.), and she said the Congressman would not be able to meet with the Director this week for a breakfast/briefing but was definitely interested and will give us a call.

AT 27. [] LIAISON John Childers, Minority Counsel, Senate Government Operations Committee, called indicating that Senator Charles Percy (R., Ill.) was considering using an FSO congressional intern to work on questions relating to congressional oversight of intelligence but Childers felt he should determine whether [] had any association with the Agency. I told Childers that we would never put an Agency employee under cover to participate in such a program but I would check to see if there was any past association with the Agency. Later I advised Childers that there was no past association based on the advice of the Office of Personnel.

AT 28. [] BRIEFING Bruce Van Voorst, in the office of Senator Dick Clark (D., Iowa), called saying they would like the Director to appear before the Subcommittee on African Affairs, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, on 29 January at 2:00 p.m. If this was not convenient, it could be 3, 4, 5 or 6 February. After checking the Director's calendar, I indicated that the 29th was free but I stressed our strong feeling that an appearance by the Director would not serve any useful purpose and an appearance in "open hearings" would establish a bad precedent and we hope to be able to eventually convince them that the Director should not appear.